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For : IMPROVEMENT TO A HELMET HAVING )  
 ) RESILIENT BENDING MEANS IN THE )  
 ) LOWER REAR PORTION OF THE SHELL THEREOF )

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**  
**(FORM PCT/DO/EO/905)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements (form PCT/DO/EO/905), dated July 29, 1997, which indicated (in an attached form PCT/DO/EO/917) that a signed declaration was missing from the application papers filed on July 8, 1997. Therefore, it is required in the Notice that the signed declaration and payment of a surcharge be filed within one month of the Notice.

A signed declaration and a check in the amount of \$65.00 (for payment of the surcharge for late filing of the declaration) was filed on July 15, 1997. Accordingly, the instant application is now complete.

For the convenience of the Office, copies of the signed declaration and check are attached hereto. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee required for completion of the missing parts to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Any comments or questions concerning this application can be directed to the undersigned at the telephone number given below.

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